



**Massachusetts Army National Guard  
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**Attention: Mr. Robert E Spear  
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Question: WHO is entitled to Military Funeral Honors?

Answer: Anyone who completed their first term of service and received an Honorable Discharge. Active Duty, Reserve, and National Guard members are entitled to at least a two-person detail to play TAPS, and, FOLD and PRESENT the flag to their next of kin.

Question: How do I go about getting Honors?

Answer: Always go through your Funeral Director. He/she will contact the appropriate service.

ARMY	508-233-6755
NAVY	860-694-3475
MARINE CORPS	516-228-5666
AIR FORCE	781-377-4850
COAST GUARD	617-233-3476

Question: Where can I get a copy of my loved ones DD214?

Answer: If they joined the military in Massachusetts-

508-233-7781 Mr. Michael Perna (Any Branch of Service)  
508-233-7783 For Army National Guard.

Question: Where do I get a burial Flag?

Answer: The Funeral director will get the flag for you. If you are not using a funeral home, you can take the death certificate to the post office and they can provide one.

Question: How much does Funeral Honors Cost?

Answer: Nothing – You can not be charged for the service, that's the law.